

From the Editors

This edition of *The Victorian Naturalist* continues the growing tradition of publishing the papers from the FNCV's annual Biodiversity Symposium in a single, 'special' issue. The most recent of these symposia, held in September 2006, focused on species that have become invasive. As noted in Dr Yen's Introduction to this collection of papers, invasive species are not necessarily introduced species; some native species have benefitted from various aspects of European settlement. This certainly is borne out in a couple of the papers published here.

A particular feature of this issue, unrelated to the bulk of papers, is the inclusion of an article detailing new combinations in some terrestrial orchids. Although received only recently, the passage of this article has been expedited through the editorial process because of the timeliness of its data. The soon-to-be-published newest edition of *Census of vascular plants of Victoria* will contain a reference to the new combinations first published in this issue of *The Victorian Naturalist*.

Looking ahead, the Editors are currently working on a second 'Special' issue for the year. Readers with an interest in entomology will be pleased to learn that the August edition will contain a collection of papers that concentrate on invertebrates.

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